

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
BOARD OF PHARMACY

August 18, 2004

A regular meeting of the New Hampshire Board of Pharmacy was held on **August 18, 2004** at the Board office, 57 Regional Drive, Concord, New Hampshire. The meeting was **called to order at 9:36 a.m.** with President Margaret E. Hayes presiding.

I. ROLL CALL - AGENDA REVIEW - ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRESENT

Margaret E. Hayes, President
Kristina Genovese, Vice-President
George L. Bowersox, Treasurer
Sandra B. Keans, Secretary
Vahrij Manoukian, Member

ALSO PRESENT

Paul G. Boisseau,
Executive Secretary

ABSENT

Ronald L. Petrin, Member
Peter A. Grasso, Chief Compliance Investigator

II. REVIEW OF ACTION ITEMS

A. **FLORIDA INFUSION/NATIONS DRUG**

1053 Progress Court
Palm Harbor, FL 34683

Non-compliance with request to license as a wholesaler/distributor, according to RSA 318:51-a, and doing business in the State of NH.

Board review: November 19, 2003

Awaiting response from Florida Infusion/Nations Drug to Attorney General's March 2, 2004 letter alleging violation of RSA 318:51-a and the Board's subsequent request that the Attorney General pursue criminal prosecution.
(See April 21, 2004 meeting minutes).

B. FLORIDA INFUSION PHARMACY

4190 Corporate Court
Palm Harbor, FL 34683

Non-compliance with request to license as a mail-order pharmacy, according to RSA 318:37,II(a) and doing business in the State of NH.

Board review: November 19, 2003

Awaiting response from Florida Infusion Pharmacy to Attorney General's March 2, 2004 letter alleging violation of RSA 318:51-a and the Board's subsequent request that the Attorney General pursue criminal prosecution. (See April 21, 2004 meeting minutes).

C. Medication Assistance Programs

Pursuant to Commissioner Bowersox's preliminary report at the March 17, 2004 Board meeting (*see Minutes*), a comprehensive report of findings and proposed resolution (action guidelines) is still in process. The Board is currently reviewing Ohio's Drug Repository Program which allows for the donation of previously dispensed prescription drugs to locations that would use them for treating patients who were unable to pay. Staff is also in the process of contacting other state boards of pharmacy for input. **Survey will be finalized and the results available at the September meeting of the Board.**

D. Automated Dispensing Machines

Update on labeling of Baxter-type cells utilized in automatic (robotic) dispensing systems.

Agenda item tabled January 21, 2004 pending additional information.

Issue continues to be researched. **Board approved recommendations to be finalized at the September meeting of the Board.**

III. REVIEW / ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Minutes of the **July 28, 2004 special meeting** of the Board were accepted as submitted. **(Manoukian/Bowersox). Voted (unanimous).**

Minutes of the **July 28, 2004 regular meeting** of the Board were accepted as amended. **(Manoukian/Genovese). Voted (unanimous).**

IV. LICENSING

A. **Pharmacy**

Change of Location

RITE AID PHARMACY #1397

53 Church Street
Kingston, NH 03848

Pharmacist-In-Charge (Sylvester T. Castano, R.Ph.) remains the same.
Street address remains the same.

Application complete.

Motion (Keans/Manoukian) to approve the relocation of Rite Aid Pharmacy #1397 to a different location in the same plaza (address remains the same) and to grant licensure effective upon the successful completion of a site inspection by the Compliance Unit. Voted (unanimous).

V. COMPLIANCE UNIT

A. **Activity Report**

- July 2004

Motion (Manoukian/Bowersox) to accept the report as submitted. Voted (unanimous).

VI. ADJOURNED 11:20 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra B. Keans

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Secretary
FOR THE BOARD